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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Applicant: Francis A. Ennis

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Group Art Unit: 1644

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Examiner: D. Saunders

For: Predictive Assay for Immune Response

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated April 18, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-9 and 11-20. The items checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated April 18, 2001 for 3 months from July 18, 2001 to October 18, 2001.
2. ☐ A ☐ month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated ☐ was filed on ☐ with payment of a \$☐ fee.
☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an additional ☐ month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.
3. ☐ A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

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4. Fees are submitted for the following:

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			TOTAL	<u>\$ 1420</u>

5. The method of payment for the total fees is as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$1, 420.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$[].

Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees that may be due in this matter to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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